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For : TERMINAL FOR READING MACHINE-READABLE
INDICIA AND FOR EXECUTING A PROGRAM

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated September 8, 2004, please amend this patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Complete Listing of the Claims and begin on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this Response.